

HOUSE No. 1097

By Mr. Fennell of Lynn, petition of Steven M. Walsh and others relative to further regulating the expansion of charter schools. Education.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PETITION OF:

Steven M. Walsh
Robert F. Fennell

John W. Scibak

In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE EXPANSION OF CHARTER SCHOOLS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- 1 Chapter 89 or section 71 of the Massachusetts General Laws,
- 2 2002 official edition, is hereby amended by inserting at the end
- 3 thereof the following:—
- 4 The Department of Education shall be prohibited from
- 5 approving an application for a second charter school to any city or
- 6 town with a population of 100,000 residents or less.